

**Western Connecticut State University
Network Security Specialist
University Computing Department**

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Open To: The Public
Location: Western Connecticut State University, Danbury, CT
Closing Date: Friday, May 13, 2011

Western Connecticut State University is pleased to announce that applications are being accepted for the position of Network Security Specialist. This person will primarily be responsible for the network systems management. This includes performing evaluation requirements, making recommendations, and monitoring and maintaining a stable and secure network & systems infrastructure for WCSU. Additional information about WestConn can be found at www.wcsu.edu.

Qualifications: A Bachelor's Degree in telecommunications, computer science, electrical engineering, or a related area and four years of professional experience, in a large multi-protocol Cisco LAN/WAN environment are required as is experience in LAN/WAN and multi-platform environments. Knowledge of TCP/IP, routers, firewalls, sniffers, SSL VPNs, Packetshapers, Linux, and Windows systems, security tools, and Internet security is required along with a demonstrated knowledge of policy development, programming and analysis of data and wide area network systems. Experience with Juniper firewalls, Neoteris VPN, Cisco Clean Access, BlueCoat Packeteer, CiscoWorks, IDS/IPS, and MRTG are a plus. Must be innovative, service and self-motivated, team-oriented, adaptable and capable of managing competing priorities. Must possess excellent verbal and written communication skills and demonstrate commitment to quality and continuous improvement. A professional certification (CISSP, CDRP, GCIA, etc.) is a plus. WCSU is a dynamic, diverse workplace and the ability to work with students, faculty and staff from diverse backgrounds and cultures is highly preferred. An equivalent combination of credentials and/or experience may also be considered.

Salary and Benefits: Western offers competitive salaries commensurate with candidates' experience and a comprehensive benefit package. Additional information can be found on our website at <http://www.wcsu.edu/working>.

Note: The filling of this position will be in accordance with reemployment, SEBAC, transfer, promotion and merit employment rules, if applicable.

To Apply: Prospective candidates must electronically apply by sending a letter of application, resume, and contact information of three (3) professional references to hrpositions@wcsu.edu Attn. Mr. Fred Cratty, Director of Employee Relations by **Friday, May 13, 2011**. Materials should be submitted in one of the following formats: MS Word, Adobe PDF, or plain text.

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